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Didsbury Women's Institute Hold Successful Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Didsbury Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. Huget on Thursday, March 20th, about twenty members were present.

Much interest was shown in new work being taken up. It was decided to open up a rest room at once.

Mrs. C. Deadrick, Mrs. H. W. Chambers and Mrs. Eubank were delegates at the Provincial Institute Convention recently held at Calgary. 1200 delegates were reported in attendance.

"A Square Deal for Alberta Children" was the motto. Many channels of helpfulness and the uplift of high ideals are in store for mothers and children of the future. We had the privilege of hearing our best lady speakers from all points of the Dominion. It is wonderful to hear and realize what this organization is doing. Our men will be grateful as well as somewhat surprised to find out what a power for good and help their women are bringing to a re-constructing world. Calgary gave us the best in speakers, music, elocution, movies and a reception given by the local Council of Women.

An instructive paper was given by Mrs. M. Weber on poultry raising and egg production.

A solo was rendered by Mrs. Hermansen (Jr.), which was enjoyed by all.

A cordial invitation is extended for new members.

The U.F.A. and the Increased Telephone Rates

A meeting of the U. F. A. was held last Saturday afternoon to discuss the increase in telephone rates which go into effect on April 1st.

To show how much interest this increase has caused, especially in farming circles, the room first engaged was found to be altogether too small to accommodate the large crowd in town and the Opera House was opened up for the meeting.

A hearty discussion over the increase took place and a resolution was passed requesting the attendance of Mr. H. B. Atkins, M.L.A., at a meeting to be held in the Opera House on Saturday afternoon next to explain why the increase has to be made.

St. Patrick's Day at Elkton

A very enjoyable evening was spent in the Elkton schoolhouse on Monday evening when there was a very large crowd assembled to spend the evening of St. Patrick's day. The amount of money raised was \$62, which is to be expended on an Honor Roll for the boys who left the Elkton district to fight for freedom of whom we are very proud. Up to the present all are safe and we hope that in a few weeks they will all be home again. We must thank the ladies of other districts who helped to make the evening a success, also Mr. Oliver who auctioned the shadows and the musicians who played to an early hour in the morning.

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Public Meeting

A public meeting of the U. F. A., and others interested will be held in the Opera house on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock to hear the report on the telephone situation from Mr. H. B. Atkins, M.L.A. Everybody is welcome. C. F. RENNIE, Secretary U. F. A.

One of Didsbury's Early Pioneers Passes Away

Old time residents of Didsbury as well as the present residents will learn with regret that Mr. C. Hiebert passed away at his home in Calgary on Thursday last and that he was buried in Didsbury on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Hiebert had been in poor health for some time and the loss of his right leg, which had to be amputated a few months ago, also seemed to have a depressing effect upon him, but with all his troubles he pluckily started up in business again but finally had to give up and he went to Winnipeg to try and get relief but nothing could be done for him and he passed away as stated above. The funeral was private and was conducted by the Russian Mennonites.

The records of the early days of Didsbury contain Mr. Hiebert's name as one of the pioneers and early boosters for Didsbury. Coming here about the year 1901, from Manitoba, when there were very few houses and business places to be seen he took an active interest in village affairs and immediately started in to help give Didsbury its present standing. He was one of the first overseers of the village and took an active part in the incorporation (Continued on page 3)

WILLIAMS & LITTLE announce that on Thursday, March 27th, Mr. Perry of Princess clothing for women, will be at the Rosebud sample rooms with a full range of Spring suits and dresses, which will be delivered in time for Easter. Call at the sample room and see the new styles. Williams & Little.

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(Continued)

Walters went to Lawrence's room before he wrote the telegram, and met Lucy again at dinner. There were only two tables in use in the large dining room, and the waiter sent him to Mrs. Stephen's. Lucy wondered whether Walters had arranged this with the man beforehand, but it gave her an opportunity of watching him and she did not object. She admitted that he had nerve and tact, for although she feared him and her mother shared her distrust, he was able to banish the constraint both felt and amuse the party. Lucy could not tell what Lawrence thought, but he laughed at the other's stories and now and then bantered him.

After dinner Walters left him and they went to Mrs. Stephen's sitting room. Lucy remarked rather sharply: "You seemed to find Walters amusing."

"He is amusing," Lawrence answered. "In fact, the fellow puzzles me."

"You mean he couldn't talk in that good-humored, witty way if he had plotted to leave you on the couloir?"

"Well," said Lawrence, "I suppose I did feel something of the kind."

"I don't know that it's very logical," Lucy rejoined, hiding her alarm. "You agreed with Foster's conclusions when he was here."

"I did, to some extent. The way Jake argued on the matter made things look pretty bad."

"But they look better now? Walters was talking to you in your room?"

"He didn't say much about our climb; just a word or two of regret for his carelessness in not seeing what had happened to the guide."

"Words that were very carefully chosen, no doubt?"

"Well," said Lawrence, "I'm frankly puzzled; the more I think about our adventure, the harder it is to decide how much one could hold Walters accountable for. It was difficult to throw me up the rope without shipping, and there was only a small, projecting rock on which he might have broken his bones, to prevent his tobogganing to the bottom. If he had slid past it, he would have been killed."

"Walters wouldn't hesitate about a risk. It might have looked like an accident if you hadn't heard Foster's story."

Lawrence knitted his brows, rather impatiently. "After all, Jake's a romantic fellow, and his explanation's theatrical."

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Mrs. Stephen interposed. "You must admit that they happen, but you feel it's ridiculous that they should happen to you."

"I imagine I do feel that," Lawrence agreed with a smile. "When they happen to somebody else they're not so unnatural."

Lucy tried to preserve her self-control, but her tone was sharp as she said: "Then you feel inclined to forgive Walters the pain and illness he caused you?"

"It would be harder to forgive him your anxiety," Lawrence rejoined. "I his face set hard. 'In fact, if I knew he really had plotted the thing—'

He paused and resumed. "One would be justified in killing a brute who could do what you imagine, but there's a difference between hating a crime and punishing the man accused of it before you have proved his guilt. In the meantime, I'm trying to keep an open mind."

"But you will be careful and not trust him far," Lucy urged.

"I'll run no risks; I've some ground for being cautious."

Lucy said no more. Lawrence was not well yet and sometimes got obstinate if one argued with him. She thought he would be prudent, but it was comforting to remember that she had telegraphed for his comrade. Unfortunately, she did not know that her message was then in the page's pocket. He had waited some time for Walters' telegram, and when he reached the station found the agent gone. In consequence, fearing a reprimand, he resolved to send the messages in the morning and say nothing about the matter.

The next day was clear and calm, with bright sunshine on the snow, and Mrs. Stephen agreed when Lawrence insisted on going for a short walk with her and some of the guests.

Walters joined the party, although Lucy tried to leave him behind, and they leisurely climbed a winding path among the pines. The snow was thin and crisp beneath the trees, the air exhilarating, and through openings they caught glimpses of fissured glaciers, rocks that glistened in the steady light, and majestic glittering peaks. The pines were straight and tall, and the great soft colored trunks rose in long climbing ranks against the blue shadow on the snow.

They stopped for a few minutes at the foot of a crag, and then Lawrence who had been sitting rather slackly on a log, got up with a shiver.

"The air's keen," he said. "Can't we go back another way where we'll get the sun?"

One of the party said there was a lower and more open trail, and they went down until they reached a narrow track that followed the edge of a steep fall to the river. The hillside above made a sharp angle with the pines that cut in scattered cones of sombre green, against the long, glittering slope. Below, the ground dropped nearly sheer to the green flood that roared among the ice. Although the trail was safe enough, Lucy kept close to Lawrence, and was glad to see Walters talking to one of the others some distance behind. She felt jaded, for she had not relaxed her watchfulness since the man arrived. By and by Lawrence gave her a grateful smile.

"You look tired; I expect I'm something of a responsibility. If you like, I'll make an excuse for stopping in until Walters goes."

"No," she said with an effort, "that would be cowardly and not good for you. After all, I may be giving my imagination rein; but I wish he hadn't come."

"He won't be here long. Anyway, we'll keep out of his way as much as we can for the rest of the time."

"That's a relief," said Lucy. "Still, I expect you really think you are indulging me."

"I don't know what to think," Lawrence replied. "You're clever, and Jake, who takes your views, is not a fool. But it doesn't look as if Walters meant to do me much harm."

"He can't, so long as you don't give him an opportunity."

Lawrence's eyes twinkled. "And you'll take care that I don't? Well, it's rather nice to be protected."

Lucy blushed. "If you would take things seriously sometimes—"

"If I did, you'd find me dull. Now I like you exactly as you are, except that, in one way, I'd sooner you were not so anxious about me. That's partly why I'm not so serious as you expect. I'm afraid you'd get worse if I played up to you."

"Never mind me," said Lucy. "Only take care!"

By and by the slope grew gentler, and tall forest crept up the hill when they came to a ravine, a torrent had worn out of the mountain side. The ravine was narrow and for a short distance below the top the banks shelved steeply; then a wall of rock fell straight to the water that bawled in the bottom of the deep gap. The light was dim down there, but one could see vivid flashes of foam through a haze of spray. The trail had been made by lumbermen or prospectors, who had provided a bridge by chopping a big fir so that it fell across the chasm. Somebody had made the passage easier by roughly squaring its upper surface, though it is seldom a Canadian bushman takes this precaution with his primitive bridge. There was no reason anybody with normal nerve should hesitate to cross, but the party stopped.

"You have gone farther than usual today, Featherstone, and perhaps you'd sooner cut out the bridge," said one. "I think we could get round the head of the canon without lengthening the distance much."

Lawrence smiled. "My object is to keep on going farther than I did before, and I don't see why the log should bother me. It's my legs and not my head that are weak."

"Very well," said the other. "I'll go first and Miss Chisholm will come next."

"Am I to be encouraged or shamed into crossing?" Lawrence asked with a laugh.

He let them go, and Lucy did not object. Lawrence was not well yet, but she had seen him climb among the crevasses and knew his steadiness. Then, although she did not know how much this counted, she was proud of his courage and forgot that physical weakness sometimes affects one's nerve. Walters could not harm him, because he was not near enough.

When the first two had gone over, Lawrence walked out upon the log. Lucy was not afraid, but she watched and remarked that he seemed unusually careful. After a few paces, he moved slowly, when near the middle stopped. She saw him clench his hands as he tried to brace himself.

"Go on, Lawrence," she said, as quietly as she could.

He moved another pace or two uncertainly, and then stopped again, and Lucy struggled with her terror as she tried to think. If he were well, it would not be difficult to turn and come back, or sit upon the log, but either would be dangerous if his nerve had gone. She had failed to rouse him and durst not try again. If he slipped or stumbled, he would plunge into the canon. It was horrible to reflect that she had allowed him to make the venture. Then, throwing off the numbing fear, she sprang to her feet.

"Stand quite still; I'm coming to help you," she said in a strained voice and went towards the log.

Next moment she was seized from behind, and Walters ran past. She struggled fiercely, biting her lips as she stopped the scream that might startle her lover, and heard the man who held her breathing hard. But he held her firmly and she stopped struggling with a paralyzing horror that made her muscles limp. Still, she could see and think, and the scene fixed itself upon her brain like a photograph; long afterwards she could remember each minute detail.

The log occupied the foreground of the picture, running boldly across the gap in the pines, with a shadowy gulf beneath. Near the middle, Lawrence stood slackly, with his back to her, and behind him Walters was walking across the trunk with a firm, agile tread. His figure was well-proportioned and athletic, and it was somewhat obvious that he relished the opportunity of showing his powers. Afterwards, she hated him for his vanity.

It was plain that little physical help could be given. All that was possible was moral support; a firm, guiding grasp that would restore the shaken man's confidence, and the comfort of feeling there was somebody near who was not afraid. But a very slight push the wrong way, or even an unsteadiness in the hand that should have guided, might be fatal. Lawrence was at the mercy of a man who had plotted to destroy him and could do so now without risk. Lucy could not warn him, because if he were startled, he would fall. Waiting in agony of suspense, she saw Walters grasp his shoulder.

"Steady, partner; we'll soon be across," he said in a quiet, reassuring voice, and Lawrence's slack pose stiffened, as if he had gathered confidence.

Lucy thought he did not know who had spoken, but the horrible tension did not slacken yet, though Lawrence began to move forward. Walters came close behind, rather guiding than supporting him, and in a few moments they stepped down on the other side. Then Lucy gasped and log and pine got blurred and indistinct. She conquered the faintness and went resolutely towards the log.

"Wait and let me help you," somebody said.

"No," she answered in a strained voice; "I'm quite steady."

She crossed the log without a tremor and running to where Lawrence sat put her arm around him. Lawrence said nothing, but took and held her hand.

XXIX.

Foster Arrives

When Lucy looked up, the others had gathered round and Walters smiled sympathetically. "Are you better?" he asked Lawrence.

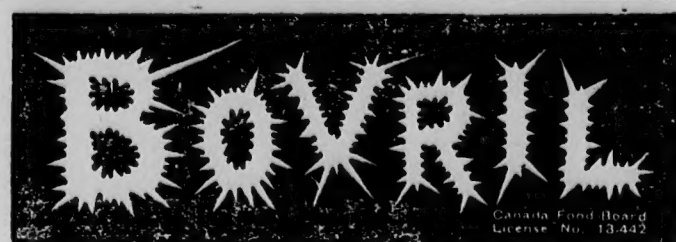
"Yes; we'll go on in a minute. I don't know what was the matter; felt dizzy and couldn't keep my balance. Think I needed a rest."

"The thing's obvious," Walters agreed. "After seeing you on the glaciers, I reckon your nerve's all right, but you're not well yet and we brought you up the last hill too fast. The exertion disturbed the beating of your heart and a few drops too much blood sent to the brain makes a big difference. That's what happened; it's our fault."

Lucy was grateful for the explanation, which she thought correct, but she noted with some concern that Lawrence did not show the embarrassment she had expected, which indicated that he had not recovered yet. In the meantime, Walters gave her a look of ironical amusement. She could not resent this and it seemed ridiculous to doubt him, but she did.

"Thank you; you were very quick and cool," she said with an effort.

Walters tactfully bowed his acknowledgment as if he did not want to press his claim on her gratitude, and Lucy turned to one of the others.



"Was it you who held me back?" she asked, and when the man nodded, resumed: "Of course, you were right. I might have startled him and we would both have fallen."

"That's what I was afraid of. Anyhow, Mr. Walters deserves your thanks most. He saw what was needed and did it smartly."

Then Lawrence got up, with some color in his face, and gave Walters his hand. "I expect I would have fallen if you hadn't come along," he said and turned to the rest. "I feel I must apologize for frightening you. My best excuse is that I wasn't as fit as I thought."

They urged him to rest and one offered to run to the hotel for brandy, but he declared he was able to go on, and they tactfully began to talk about something else and after a few minutes let him drop behind. He was grateful and went slowly, with his hand on Lucy's arm. Sometimes he pressed it gently and she gave him a tender look, but said nothing. She could not talk; her relief was too great. When they reached the hotel, Lawrence went to his room, and soon afterwards Lucy met Walters on the veranda.

"I hope Lawrence is not much the worse," he said.

Lucy remembered the part she had taken and resolved to play it out.

"I expect he will be as well as usual after a rest. You took a very generous revenge."

Walters laughed. "After all, I was only a little quicker than the rest and really ran no risk. I was behind him and he couldn't get hold of me. In fact, I don't know that I'd have had grit enough to stick to him if he had slipped."

He left her and Lucy could find no fault with his reply, which she admitted was frank and modest. For all that, her distrust had not been banished, and when, after a time, Lawrence came down she said, "I suppose you're now satisfied that it wasn't Walters' fault you were left on the couloir?"

"Aren't you?" Lawrence asked with some surprise.

"No," said Lucy firmly. "I'm not quite satisfied. You see, there were a number of accidents, all leading to one result. Coincidences of that kind don't happen unless somebody arranges them."

Lawrence laughed. "Then they're not coincidences. Do you still hold Walters accountable for the accidents?"

"If he was accountable, they wouldn't be accidents," Lucy rejoined with some color in her face.

"A fair retort! But let's be serious. I'm not sure I'd have fallen off the log if I'd been left alone, but it's very possible. Walters' help was useful, whether he saved my life or not, and you can't deny that he meant to save it."

"No; I think he meant to save you. Did you know who it was when he touched you?"

"I did. Remembering Jake's theory I saw it was possible he had come to push me off, but I knew he hadn't."

That's why I gave him my hand afterwards."

"Ah!" said Lucy. "I was sorry when you did that, because I knew what it meant."

Lawrence looked at her deprecatingly. "I don't like you to be prejudiced, dear, even on my account. I can do nothing that might injure Walters now and can't treat him with suspicion; but he's going soon and, if it's any comfort, I won't leave the hotel grounds for the next day or two. Anyhow I've rather overdone things lately."

"Thank you for the promise," Lucy said, and was glad when her mother joined them, for she felt baffled and wanted to think.

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New Nurses' Home Proposed

Regina, Sask. — The city commissioners have been instructed to prepare a suggestive construction program for the present year. One of the building propositions is a new nurses' home.

When a man lends his influence he seldom gets it back.



The Spring Rains Bring Grippe

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COME TO THE MEETING

A meeting of very great importance to telephone users in both town and district is to be held in the Opera House on Saturday afternoon and it is hoped that there will be a large turnout to hear an explanation as to why such a big increase in telephone rates is being asked for and also why every quarter section is to be taxed for telephone service whether the phone is in use or not. At the last provincial election the government used the telephone utility as one of the outstanding instances of what they had accomplished, their speakers stating the fact that this utility was in extra good financial standing, and today they come back for greatly increased rates. An explanation is needed. The U. F. A. are to be commended for the action they have taken.

OLD TIMER PASSES AWAY

(Continued from page 1)

of the town. Almost every block along Railway Ave. contained some monument to his industry before the big fire swept away a lot of the old landmarks. The south end livery barn, the north end lumber yard and the Bawlf elevator were all built and operated by him in the early years.

Mr. Hiebert was very successful in the early days and held the esteem of the early settlers to such an extent that in 1905 they elected him as their first member for the old Rosebud constituency in the new government of Alberta. Dr. Clarke, (Lib.) Olds, and J. Reed, (Ind.) Cremona, being his opponents. At the next election he ran as an Ind. Conservative but was defeated because of an uncertainty as to just where he stood in politics. After his parliamentary career he seemed to become restless and unsettled but took up the hardware business as he had sold out his lumber and elevator businesses. He did not stay with that business long and finally went up to the Peace River country with his son Corny where they took up a homestead. After proving up on this they both came south again and Mr. Hiebert again went into the lumber business in Saskatchewan. However, business was very bad there last year and he finally came back to his early choice, Didsbury, where he was again located in business when sickness overtook him last fall.

He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, a son and two daughters who now live in Calgary.



The late C. HIEBERT

You need not send away
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equipped for the work

Special Railway Fare To Edmonton

A rate of fare and one third will be in force for the Edmonton Spring Live Stock Show, good leaving here on March 31st, up to April 4th, and good returning up to April 7th. A good many have made arrangements to take in this event, which always attracts lovers of good live stock, but will this year have many other drawing features. In addition to the showing of horses, ponies, sheep, swine and fat stock, the Calf feeding Competition for children will this year have more entries than ever. To provide variety on the programme there will be a parade of decorated automobiles one night; another evening, a fancy costume carnival ride will be put on by ladies and gentlemen competing for prizes; the Mendelssohn Choir, one hundred voices strong, will give choruses on two evenings; football matches are being arranged for; an exhibition of riding and roping will be given by genuine cowboys. The Rotary Club Quartette and the Martin children will sing and there will be other features interspersed with judging of the carriage and saddle horses, ponies and jumpers. The Edmonton Spring Live Stock Show will this year be officially opened on Tuesday evening, April 1, by Miss E. Cora Hind of Winnipeg, who is such an authority on crop and live stock matters that her reports are accepted everywhere in North America.

Rosebud Items

Mr. Winfred Davis was a visitor at the Sal. Weigand home on Sunday Evening.

Mr. Geo. Alden had the misfortune of losing two good cows last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McLean and daughter Ella Mae were Sunday evening visitors at the Allen Hunsperger home.

Mr. W. J. Schlidt has bought the Sam Troyer farm lately. Mr. and Mrs. Troyer expect to leave for the East soon.

The prayer meeting at Gore will be held at Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Alt

NOTICE

Hunsperger gravel and sand pit south of town is now controlled by Isaac Hunsperger, phone 2223, Didsbury. No person is allowed to use this pit without permission from Mr. Isaac Hunsperger. Wm. Hunsperger, Owner. 31p13

WESTERDALE METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor—Rev. H. Brooke
Services Sunday, March 30th.
Westerdale 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Harrison 2 p.m.
Ardmore 4 p.m.
The Young People's Society every Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Lost, Strayed or Estray ads. \$1.50 for three insertions in the Pioneer—they bring results.

STRAYED

Strayed from the range south of Westerdale P.O., a black Percheron mare coming 4 years old, branded UM on left shoulder. \$5 reward for return of mare or information leading to her recovery. Chas. Fessenden, Phone 1910K, Didsbury. 31p10

ESTRAY

On the premises of Jacob Michel, S.W. 1-4 Sec. 14-32-2, W. 5, red steer 8 or 9 months old, white spot inside hind leg, small white spot on brisket; no brand visible. Been on place since November. W. F. Sick, Brand Reader. 31p10

home on Thursday night, also there will be Church service at the Gore School House on Sunday evening. Everybody welcome.

As Russel Fulkerth was on his way to the Literary last Friday, he had the good luck of catching a (Herron,) maybe the next time he will have the pleasure of getting a (Shank.)

The Great Bull Sale

The fact that 750 bulls will be offered at the Calgary Bull Sale on April 7th to 10th will make a visit to the sale worth while to stockmen even if not in the market for bulls. The breeders of purebred stock in Alberta have been buying the best stock that could be found anywhere to head their herds, and the stock from these herds is being brought to the sale in larger numbers each year, with the result that the Calgary sale has become the best place to buy bulls for all purposes.

The animals will be judged on Monday, April 7th, and sales will take place on the afternoon and evening of the 8th, 9th and 10th.

Special passenger rates of a fare and a third for the return trip have been put in force.

Catalogue of entries and any other information may be obtained from E. L. Richardson, Secretary Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association, Calgary.

CARD OF THANKS

Before leaving Didsbury I wish to express my sincere thanks for the great help and sympathy extended to me by the general public as well as my own people during the months since my husband's death, and that I carry away with me a feeling of regret at leaving so many kind friends.

MRS. L. P. AMACHER.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking the people of Didsbury for their kind sympathy and help during our recent bereavement and also to express our thanks to King Hiram Lodge, A. F. & A. M., of which Mr. Hiebert was a member, for the beautiful wreath sent by them.

J. C. HIEBERT
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STRAYED—\$10.00 REWARD

Strayed from the Didsbury stockyard, red roan 2 year old steer, branded UM on right hip. \$5.00 reward offered for information leading to recovery of same. Fred Moyle, Didsbury. 41p13

Is your subscription to
the Pioneer paid up?

NURSES ADVISE

Zam-Buk, because they have proved that it does what is claimed for it. Miss E. L. Doxey, graduate nurse, of 3220 Michigan Ave., Chicago, says: "I have a patient who suffered terribly with piles. Zam-Buk is the only remedy that gave her relief."

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EDITORIAL

Memorials to Our Soldiers

A subject which is engaging the attention of the people of Canada, whether they be resident in a metropolitan city or in the smallest hamlet, is the manner in which they can best and most appropriately commemorate the memory of their fellow Canadian citizens who, in the service of their country and Empire, gave their lives in the Great War. There is no difference of opinion that some fitting memorial should be erected in each centre of population in this Dominion, large or small. There is also unanimity of opinion that in every instance the memorial should be just as fine as it is within the capabilities of the people to provide. The only question is what form these memorials should take.

Recalling the magnificent memorial monuments, shafts, statues, arches, fountains, museums, and other structures to be found on every hand throughout the countries of the Old World, one realizes that in this new country of Western Canada there is a sad lack of these artistic and inspiring structures. Of course our history has been brief, and but as a passing moment in the life of a nation. We have, of necessity, been obliged to confine attention very largely to the provision of the more practical and utilitarian needs of our pioneer condition. But the time has now arrived when it becomes our duty to commemorate in some permanent manner the glorious memory of our soldiers, and to do so in such



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a way as to provide a source of inspiration for all future generations of Canadians.

In some sections of the Dominion there appears to be a tendency to exploit this universal desire to provide fitting memorials to our soldiers by erecting some building or institution which is a need of the community in any event. This is not the right spirit, and it should be discouraged. No attempt should be made to capitalize public sympathy with the idea of a memorial in order to provide some service which sooner or later would have to be provided in the public interest. Whatever form the memorial may take, it should be provided because it is a memorial, and not because of any other motive.

Each community will, of course, decide for itself the form and character of the memorial to its own fallen heroes. In some places it has been suggested that this should take the form of an endowment fund for the better education of the children of the poorer people, and thus give them an equal opportunity with the children of the more well-to-do. The establishment of orphanages, hospitals and other philanthropic institutions is urged in other places. In some of the smaller communities the erection of a simple tablet or monument is advocated, while in larger centres a lofty shaft or stately monument or magnificent arch is felt to be most suitable.

The character of the memorial, important as it may be, is, after all, not the most important consideration. What is important is the spirit animating the people in providing the memorial, and the lasting effect it will have on the life of the community. It would, for example, serve but a poor purpose to erect a monument which, poorly designed and crudely executed, would be a constant cause of irritation to the beholder, or, having erected a suitable and artistic monument, to leave it in a state of neglect throughout the years uncared for amid unkempt grounds and surroundings.

It is not the object of this article to suggest any particular form or forms of memorials to our Canadian soldiers, but rather to lay emphasis upon the desirability of the most thoughtful consideration being given by the men and women in every community to the provision of a memorial of the character best calculated to impress, influence and inspire the children of present and future generations; to inculcate in them a fervent love of country; to develop in their very souls a readiness to make sacrifices and render service to their country and fellowmen, and to keep ever before them the glorious example of the men of 1914-18 who counted no sacrifice too great that liberty might be maintained and civilization live and flourish throughout the world.

Our soldiers have left a priceless heritage to the nation which should be accorded a lasting commemoration and ever remain a beacon light throughout the ages to come.

CITY COUNCIL DOINGS

To put through the license reduction will require some tall hustling. Meantime lots of corn will be tramped on. The cure is "Putnam's" the old reliable corn extractor that has been curing corns and warts for years. "Putnam's" never fails, 25c at all dealers.

Canadian Steer

Championships

Many Prizes Have Been Won By Shorthorns

Shorthorns did well at the Ontario provincial winter fair and at West Toronto. At Guelph, the grand champion and reserve grand champion steers were both Shorthorns, while at West Toronto the single steer grand champion and the grand champion for three steers any weight, were both won by Shorthorns. A Shorthorn calf also won out in the boy's steer feeding competition. T. A. Russell, Downsview, carried off the three grand championships at these two shows, and all friends of the breed will extend congratulations.—G. E. Day, Sec. Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Ass'n.

The Regina board of trade has unanimously endorsed the movement to urge on the government to grant a charter to the C.P.R. to build a line from Lanigan to Cumberland House this year, by way of Watson and Melfort.



Ready Made Houses
Regina, Sask.—A ready made house company has located here, and since the beginning of January have sold the material (ready cut) for 100 houses.

DO YOU WANT PINK CHEEKS?

They Can be Had by Keeping the Blood Rich, Red and Pure

Every woman—every girl—wants pink cheeks. They mean not only beauty but good health. When a woman's blood is scanty or anaemic, her color fades, she looks debilitated, is short of breath, and her heart palpitates after slight exertion. Sometimes this trouble is accompanied by severe headaches, or pains in the back or sides. This condition is entirely due to weak, watery blood, and can only be cured by making the blood rich, red and pure. For this purpose there is nothing can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which act directly upon the blood, and in this way bring new health and strength to weak, ailing people. Mrs. Anderson, Hearst, Ont., says:—"Before coming to Canada from England, I was a sufferer from anaemia for upwards of a year. I had been gradually getting paler and weaker. I did not realize that I was sick, but felt constantly tired and worn out. I had no ambition for anything, and grew so white that my brothers used to call me 'snowball.' At this stage my mother decided that she would get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which are a favorite medicine in England as well as in Canada. On the day I commenced taking them I fainted on getting out of bed, and mother urged me to stay in bed for a few days. I really felt so weak that I was glad to take her advice. I looked more like a corpse than a living person. I remained in bed for a week, taking the pills regularly, and then I felt that I was able to get up, though not able to go about. From that on, however, I gained strength daily, and in a little more than a month I was feeling as well as ever I did. The color returned to my cheeks and lips, and my friends were all surprised at my rapid recovery. I took no medicine but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, so that they deserve all the credit for my restoration to health."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Over 4,000 school children are now enrolled in the public schools of Regina.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Grave's Worm Exterminator always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

Still Building

In addition to the number of Grain Grower halls which have been erected during the last two or three years in Saskatchewan, arrangements are being made for several more during the approaching summer.

CUTICURA

Heals Skin Trouble With One Cake Soap and Two Boxes Ointment.

Terrible itching on back of neck. After three weeks got flaky and became sore. Was red and scratching caused sleepless nights. Got Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Itching not so bad after using them. Now healed. From signed statement of Mrs. William Quigley, Windsor, N. S.

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Huns Restore Art Treasure

Pictures Stolen From Lille Have Been Returned

Paris. — Art treasures taken from occupied France by the Germans and removed to Brussels are gradually being restored to the original owners. The Temps reports that three carloads of pictures stolen from the museum at Lille have just been returned and two carloads taken from the region of Laon have been sent back.

Among the ten carloads unloaded at Valenciennes, were many rare and precious manuscripts and archives of the French government, the belfry taken from the Guild Hall at Cambrai and furniture belonging to the Prince of Monaco, the Marquis of Havreincourt and other persons.

When Holloway's Corn Cure is applied to a corn or wart it kills the roots and the callosity comes out without injury to the flesh.

Assurance has been received at Medicine Hat that work on the continuation of the C.N.R. line from the Red Deer river to Medicine Hat will be commenced as soon as the weather permits.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Normal School for Saskatoon

Saskatoon, Sask. — Proposals are afoot to have the new \$300,000 normal school building, which is estimated to cost ultimately one million dollars, including an eight room practice school, a twelve room practice school building and a gymnasium, erected in the city park, near the thickly settled residential area, rather than on the University grounds on the east side of the Saskatchewan river.

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To Erect Exhibition Buildings

Calgary, Alta. — The industrial exhibition is about to commence buildings at Victoria park. The buildings to be erected this year will be a cement grandstand, seating eight thousand people, costing approximately \$80,000, and a fireproof cattle barn and sale ring, seating about eighteen hundred people under the same roof as the cattle stable. The cattle barn will likely accommodate between two and three hundred head.

The Beauty of a Clear Skin.—The condition of the liver regulates the condition of the blood. A disordered liver causes impurities in the blood and these show themselves in blemishes on the skin. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills in acting upon the liver act upon the blood and a clear, healthy skin will follow intelligent use of this standard medicine. Ladies, who will fully appreciate this prime quality of these pills, can use them with the certainty that the effect will be most gratifying.

Says Empire Will Be Resurrected

Ruling Classes of Germany Hopeful of Retaining Power

Paris. — The German empire will be resurrected more rapidly than most people think, Dr. Richard von Kuehlman, former German foreign minister, declares in a letter quoted by Echo De Paris.

According to the letter, von Kuehlman says that the former ruling classes of Germany are still hopeful of retaining power.

The letter says that events are moving as the writer anticipated earlier in the year, when he wrote that Marshal Foch had sheathed the sword and it would not be necessary for Germany to fear France longer. Under favorable conditions, von Kuehlman is quoted as saying, the Germans will be in Paris before 1925.

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30c, 60c, \$1.20

Irish Appeal to King George

London. — A petition has been submitted to King George, signed by a number of Irish officers who served in the British army during the war, praying that Irish home rule be submitted to the peace conference.

She Tells Them In the Post Office

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Her

Quebec Postmistress Suffered for Four Years But Her Pain Vanished Before A Short Treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

L'Anse a Brilliant, Gaspe Co., Quebec, March 24th, (Special). — Mrs. Geo. Briand, the Postmistress here, is a sworn friend of Dodd's Kidney Pills. And like a host of others she has a reason.

"I had a pain in my left side for four years," Mrs. Briand says in giving that reason. "It never left me for one single instant."

"But after using two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills, with two of Diamond Dinner Pills, the pain ceased, and in over a year now it has never come back."

"I have recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to the patrons of this P.O. for I keep the post office here, as the best medicine I have ever used."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are no cure all. They are purely and simply a kidney remedy. They are credited with cures of sore back, rheumatism, lumbago, heart disease, diabetes, and Bright's disease. The reason for this is that all these troubles sprang from diseased kidneys.

Dodd's Kidney Pills acting directly on the kidneys, put those organs in condition to do their full work of clearing the impurities out of the blood and the diseases vanished with the impurities.

Aluminium in Norway

Christiania, Norway. — A Norwegian factory has succeeded in obtaining aluminium from what is locally known as Labrador stone, which is found in large quantities in the western part of the country. Hitherto this stone has been looked upon as having no commercial value whatever.

IN MISERY FOR YEARS

Mrs. Courtney Tells How She Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Oskaloosa, Iowa. — "For years I was simply in misery from a weakness and awful pains—and nothing seemed to do me any good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and got relief right away. I can certainly recommend this valuable medicine to other women who suffer, for it has done such good work for me and I know it will help others if they will give it a fair trial."

—Mrs. LIZZIE COURTNEY, 108 8th Ave., West, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Why will women drag along from day to day, year in and year out, suffering such misery as did Mrs. Courtney, when such letters as this are continually being published. Every woman who suffers from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, nervousness, or who is passing through the Change of Life should give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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Bar Alien Immigrants

Ottawa. — Entry to Canada of immigrants of German, Austro-Hungarian, Bulgarian or Turkish races or nationality has been prohibited except with the permission of the minister of immigration and colonization.

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Spend 10 cents—feel grand! Tonight take Cascarets to loosen your liver and clean your bowels. Stop the headaches, biliousness, sourness, gases, coated tongue, bad breath, salowness and constipation—Take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest "inside cleansing" you ever experienced. Wake up feeling fine. Cascarets is best cathartic for children. Taste like candy. No disappointment! Thirty million boxes of this harmless, famous cathartic are sold each year now.

Wooden Steamer Launched

Vancouver, B. C. — The French steamer Champlain was successfully launched at the Northern Construction yards. The ship is a wooden vessel of 1,500 tons, and is the first of five being built by this company for the French government.

Stomachs tire of the same diet.

When the appetite becomes jaded, it's surprising how quickly the digestion responds to a saucer of

Grape-Nuts

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Veterans Grow in Strength
Winnipeg. — The Winnipeg Great War Veterans' association decided to be placed under a Dominion constitution, owing to the rapid increase in membership. There are now over 8,000 enrolled.

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For Sale by all Dealers
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Factory and Garage for Calgary
The Bennett & White Construction company has been awarded the contract for the new \$30,000 garage, which is being built by Peacock & Leeson. The garage will be 100 by 125 feet in size and will be built of solid brick. Work will commence immediately. The same firm has been awarded the contract for the coca cola factory, which is to be erected opposite the Central school. The factory is to cost approximately \$20,000.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Famous Aviator Ill

Roanoke, Va. — Col. Wm. A. Bishop, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., famous Canadian aviator, was operated upon for appendicitis here. He was stricken as he was preparing to deliver an address. His condition was reported to be satisfactory.

Hurrah! How's This

Cincinnati authority says corns dry up and lift out with finger.

Hospital records show that every time you cut a corn you invite lockjaw or blood poison, which is needless, says a Cincinnati authority, who tells you that a quarter ounce of a drug called freezone can be obtained at little cost from the drug store but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You simply apply a few drops of freezone on a tender, aching corn and soreness is instantly relieved. Shortly the entire corn can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

This drug is sticky but dries at once and is claimed to just shrivel up any corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

If your wife wears high heels she will be glad to know of this.

Farmers in Saskatchewan will have better service in hail insurance matters this year than ever before, by reason of the fact that thirty companies will open offices at various points in the province.

Miller's Worm Powders are par excellence the medicine for children who are found suffering from the ravages of worms. They immediately alter the stomachic conditions under which the worms subsist and drive them from the system, and, at the same time, they are tonics in their effect upon the digestive organs, restoring them to healthful operation and ensuring immunity from further disorders from such a cause.

Peace River Immigration

Has Commenced Several Weeks Earlier Than Usual

Edmonton, Alta. — Immigration into the Peace river and Grande Prairie countries has commenced this year several weeks earlier than usual. An advance party of settlers representing an initial instalment of prospective farmers from the western states comprised the party making the first spring trek. Some of these settlers have already bought land in the north; others are land hunters on their way to seek desirable locations. None of them are homesteaders, it being their intention to buy farm sites on business terms. It is expected that these first arrivals will be followed by many more during the spring and summer.

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A Swift Flight

Paris. — Major-General Seeley of the British war office, flew from Folkestone to Paris, a distance of 172 miles, in 74 minutes, establishing a new record for the flight, it was learned. The airplane had the wind behind it.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
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Cheap Lumber for Soldiers

Regina, Sask. — By an agreement reached with the Western Retail Lumbermen's association the soldier settlement board will offer soldiers settling on farms lumber at much reduced prices. Building material of all kinds will be offered at 10 per cent. advance over wholesale rates. Agreement has also been entered into with a number of the large agricultural machinery manufacturing firms to get machinery at reduced prices.

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Protected by Machine Guns
Berlin. — The diet at Munich was opened to the accompaniment of a strong military display, according to Munich dispatches to the Zeitung Am Mittag. All the entrances to the building were strongly guarded and machine guns were posted on the roof. Militia and police were distributed throughout the house. The deputies and the newspaper men were searched for weapons before they were allowed to enter. No one was allowed in the galleries, except the press gallery.

The Poor Man's Friend.—Put up in small bottles that are easily portable and sold for a very small sum, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil possesses more power in concentrated form than one hundred times the quantity of many unguents. Its cheapness and the varied uses to which it can be put make it the poor man's friend. No dealer's stock is complete without it.

No Bread in the Caucasus
New York. — Thousands of men, women and children are starving to death in the Caucasus, according to the first report from Dr. James L. Barton, chairman of the commission recently sent to that region by the United States.

"There is no bread anywhere," says the report, "the government has not a pound. There are 45,000 people in Erivan wholly without bread, and the orphanages and troops all throughout Erivan are in a terrible condition."

A joint plowing match is being arranged by four locals of Grain Growers in the vicinity of Guernsey.

Alberta Coal Possibilities

Local coal operators estimate that \$10,000,000 are sent out of western Canada annually for Pennsylvania soft coal, which might be supplied by Alberta mines if a revision of the freight rates could be secured and other difficulties adjusted. The Alberta bureau of industrial research is asked to take up this problem, and if a solution is found, Alberta mines will have a market for 2,000,000 tons more coal annually.

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AUCTION SALE

JULIUS LITKE

Having received instructions from Julius Litke I will sell by public auction at the N. 1 2 Sec. 36 31 2 W. 5th Mer., or 2 1 2 miles north of Didsbury, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 28th

the following consisting of

HORSES—6 HEAD

Team mares, in foal, 11 years old, weight 2600 lbs.; team mares, 5 years old, 1 in foal, weight 2700 lbs.; gelding, 7 years old, weight 1700 lbs.; broke to saddle or driving; horse colt rising one year old.

CATTLE—14 HEAD

13 heifers and steers rising one year old; grade bull rising 3 years old.

MACHINERY

Oliver 14-in. gang plow, 3 1 2 in. International brake and box, 20 single disc Van Brunt drill, set 24 ft. wood

bass harrow, 5 ft. Deering mower, 10-ft. Deering rake, Dain sweep rake, Dain stacker, fanning mill, hayrake, stock saddle, all machinery new.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Steel range, kitchen cabinet, kitchen table, diningroom suite, buffet, china cabinet, Hot Blast heater, oil heater, iron bed, spring and mattress, dresser and washstand, leather upholstered arm chair, leather upholstered chair, all new goods; Victor gramophone.

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SALE AT 1 O'CLOCK

TERMS CASH

J. N. PATON, AUCTIONEER

JULIUS LITKE, Owner.

AUCTION SALE

SAM TROYER

Having received instructions from Sam Troyer I will sell by public auction at the S. W. 1/4 Sec. 16 31 1 W. 5th Mer., 1 1 2 miles east of Didsbury, on top of Rosebud hill, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 1st

the following consisting of

Horses—10 head

Span mares, 7 years old, weight 2800 lbs.; span mares, 9 years old, weight 2400 lbs.; span mares, 4 years old, weight 2600 lbs.; 2 geldings, 3 years old, weight 2200 lbs.; sucking colt; mare rising 2 years old.

Cattle—22 head

8 milking cows, all fresh, calves at foot; cow, fresh about time of sale; yearling heifer; 2 calves dropped last fall, 2 yearling steers.

50 Buff Orpington chickens; good rooster.

Farm Implements

8 ft. McCormick binder, Cockshutt seed drill, 20 shoe single disc, disc

harrow, 3 ec. Diamond harrow, 16-in. Verity sukey plow, 14 in. breaking plow, Deering mower, Mandt wagon, wagon gear, hay stacker, McCormick rake, buggy, Democrat wagon, cream separator, milk cooler, 2 hayracks, bobsleigh, grindstone and small farm implements.

Harness

3 sets heavy double harness, set driving harness, double; set single harness.

Household Goods

Round Oak heater, Comfort cook stove, 2 dining tables, and several other articles of household furniture. About 10 bushels of potatoes.

SALE STARTS AT 1:30 O'CLOCK SHARP

TERMS—All cattle will be cash. On all other purchases sums of \$20.00 and under cash; over that amount 9 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing interest at 8 per cent. 4 per cent. off for cash.

J. W. PHILLIPSON, Auctioneer

SAM TROYER, Owner.

W. G. LIESEMER, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Mrs. C. C. Williams

As Mrs. Williams is moving to California everything will be closed out

Having received instructions from Mrs. C. C. Williams I will sell by public auction at the Stock Yards, Didsbury, on

FRIDAY, APRIL 4th

the following consisting of

Clydesdale Mares and Horses

Maggie Macpherson (17083). Dam—Topsy Macpherson (2798); Topsy of Freeman (2542); Jess; Kate.

Sire—Springfield King (17083); Douglas Macpherson (imp) (1791); Duke of Flemington (imp) (976) (1973); Prince of Fay (imp) (14); Adventurer, alias Honest Willie (imp) (1354) (4804); Old Lord Had-do (imp) (49) (3872).

Maud Macpherson (34643) daughter of Maggie Macpherson, 6 years old; Lady Macpherson (37357) daughter of Topsy Macpherson, 6 years old; Lady Lane (34642) daughter of Maggie Clifton,

granddaughter of Maggie Macpherson; Lady Nell, daughter of Lady Macpherson and granddaughter of Topsy Macpherson, coming 2 years old (Registration to be supplied); Russell, heavy gelding, 5 years old—above young stock of Bold Boy and Lady Russell; Barney, black gelding, 5 years old; Neta, black mare, 8 years old; Alice, 4 years old; Nellie, 4 years old; 3 colts rising 2 and 3 years old.

Cattle—24 head

2 fresh cows with calf at foot; 8 milch cows to freshen soon, steer rising three years old; 3 heifers, in calf, 2 years old; heifer, rising 2 years old; 5 yearlings.

SALE STARTS AT 2 O'CLOCK SHARP

TERMS—All sums of \$20.00 and under cash; over that amount 12 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing interest at 8 per cent. 4 per cent. off for cash.

J. N. PATON, AUCTIONEER

Mrs. C. C. WILLIAMS, Owner

An advertisement in the
Pioneer always pays

Extensive Improvements at Calgary Exhibition Grounds

The Calgary Industrial Exhibition is about to commence the erection of permanent buildings at Victoria Park. The buildings to be erected this year will be a cement grandstand seating eight thousand people, costing approximately \$80,000, and a fireproof cattle barn and a sale ring seating about eighteen hundred people under the same roof as the cattle will be stabled. The cattle barn will likely accommodate between two and three hundred head, and will be added to next year to bring the cattle accommodation in this one stable up to six or seven hundred head. The cattle barn and judging arena will be erected between the race track and the office on the ground now occupied by the racing barns. In this location the building will be convenient for the housing of cattle at the Summer Exhibition and at the Winter Fair and bulls at the Spring bull sale, and will provide the Calgary Exhibition with possibly the best cattle accommodation of any exhibition grounds on the continent. This building will permit of the Spring Horse Show and bull sale being held at the same time in future. This year the Horse Show will be held at Calgary March 25th to 28th. Great interest is being taken in the show and it is expected that it will be as interesting as the old time horse shows before the war. The Spring Bull Sale will be held at Calgary April 7th to 10th, and it is expected that between eight hundred and a thousand bulls will be offered. Catalogues and prize list may be obtained by writing E. L. Richardson, Secretary Alberta Live Stock Associations, Calgary.

Credit Sustains Our Foreign Trade

The public hardly realizes the extent to which Canada's export trade is dependant on the providing of credits for other governments. Since the middle of 1918 credits amounting to \$240,000,000 have been advanced to the British government as follows:

Imperial Munitions Board \$132,000,000; for the purchase of Canadian grain, \$55,000,000; for exports of dairy products, \$35,000,000; for the sale of B. C. salmon pack, \$8,000,000; for other exports of food, \$10,000,000.

This money came from the Canadian public in the form of loans. Out of their savings over 1,000,000 people in this country bought Dominion bonds, and thus provided funds out of which these advances were made. This practice must be continued if Canada is to get her share of the export trade. Those who buy War Savings and Thrift Stamps supply money for these credits.



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APRIL 7th to 10th

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Alberta Cattle Breeders Association Annual Meeting, Palliser Hotel, 8 p.m., April 7th

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Animals sold in the following order: 6 Galloways, 255 Herefords, 370 Shorthorns, 123 Aberdeen Angus

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AUCTION SALE

JOHN LUFT

Having been favored with instructions from Mr. John Luft I will sell by public auction at John Bogner's place the S. E. Qr. Sec. 21-31 1 W. 5th, half mile east of Rosebud School, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 8th

the following consisting of

Horses—6 head

Team mares, in foal, 5 years old, weight 2500 lbs.; span geldings, 9 years old, weight 2500 lbs.; filly, 1 year old in June; gelding, 7 years old

Cattle—40 head

12 dairy cows, 7 fresh, 1 freshening about time of sale; 4 two year old steers; 3 two year old heifers; 5 yearling heifers; 5 calves; 2 heifers; 3 articles.

steers; Shorthorn bull 2 years old, 75 chickens.

Farm Implements

D Laval cream separator No. 12, 7 ft. Deering binder, new; 18 shoe single disc McCormick drill, 12-ft. Deering rake, Deering mower, 14-in. Oliver sulky, disc harrow, 3 sec. lever harrow, democrat, Chatham wagon, 3 sets heavy harness, and numerous other

SALE STARTS AT 1 O'CLOCK SHARP LUNCH WILL BE SERVED

TERMS—All sums of \$20.00 and under cash; over that amount 9 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing interest at 8 per cent. 4 per cent. off for cash. No reserve.

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TENDING GRAVES OF CANADIAN DEAD IN FRANCE

Advertising Spells Success

Force Along Rhine Must Be Retained

London. — During debate in committee of the house of commons on the military service bill, Winston Spencer Churchill, minister of war, opposing the amendments limiting the operation of the bill to December 31, 1919, instead of April 30, 1920, emphasized the fact that the British regular army had virtually disappeared and that it was necessary to keep men whom the bill retained with the colors for overseas garrisons.

Mr. Churchill said he had every hope, however, that the British foreign establishment would be on a voluntary basis before the end of the year.

The army of occupation, he added, was on a different plane and could not depend on voluntary recruiting. It was impossible, he said, to assert how long it would be necessary to have a British army on the Rhine in order to influence Germany's policy by the pressure of its presence, but he was very glad that it had been decided to send food to Germany to enable Germany to get to work and to enjoy a real measure of peace.

It was all the more necessary, however, to keep a force on the Rhine to see that Germany carried out the terms of the peace treaty when it had been ratified, Mr. Churchill continued. Conditions in Europe were getting worse instead of better, he added, and dangers were increasing instead of decreasing, and he considered that the date for the operation of the bill, April 30, 1920, should stand. He concluded by saying that he had every reason to expect the necessity for compulsion would have passed away by that date.

The proposed amendment was defeated.

Famous Battalion Disbanded

Men of Princess Patricia's Have Received Discharge

Ottawa. — The famous Princess Patricia's Canadian light infantry, Canadian expeditionary force, is no more. Demobilization has been completed, the last man being discharged and the unit disbanded. It is considered the demobilization constitutes a record for speed.

There was a touching scene as Lieut. Col. A. Hamilton Gault, organizer of the unit, bade the men farewell.

Many of the men have left for their homes, those living at a distance being provided with first class sleeper accommodation and tickets, in addition to generous allowance for meals en route. Toronto and western men were among those who have left.

Shock Left Her Weak and Nervous COULD NOT SLEEP

When the system receives a shock of any kind, the heart becomes weakened, the nerves unstrung, the appetite poor, faint and weak feelings come over you, you can't sleep at night and you wonder if life is worth living.

To all those who suffer from nervous shock we would recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills as the best remedy to tone up the entire system and strengthen the weakened organs.

Mrs. J. J. Bunyan, Pilot Butte, Sask., writes:—"I have used Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills after having suffered from a terrible shock to my whole system. I was so utterly weak and nervous I could not sleep at night, and my appetite was very poor. I could not walk across the floor without trembling all over. I had hot flushes and fainting spells.

When I was on the second box of your Heart and Nerve Pills, I began to feel that they were doing me good, so I kept on until I had used six boxes, when I felt like a different person.

I am never without them in the house, and highly recommend them to all who suffer with their heart." Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

W. N. U. 1256

Ships Sail for Food

London. — Eight German steamers, including the Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, Cleveland, Graf Waldersee and Pretoria, sailed from Hamburg for foodstuffs, according to advices from Berlin. It is said that the crews of the ships made a formal demand that they should not be removed from the vessels during the trip.

Invite British Fleet

Washington. — Navy department officials state that Secretary Daniels during his trip abroad probably would invite the British fleet to New York for a visit during the coming summer.

Such an invitation was extended informally by Assistant Secretary Roosevelt when he was in England just before the signing of the armistice.

A CHILD'S TONGUE SHOWS IF LIVER OR BOWELS ARE ACTIVE

If cross, feverish, sick, bilious, give fruit laxative at once

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue. Mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

Prefer to Become Outlaws

Hun President Says Unjust Peace Cannot Be Signed

Berlin. — "Germany is prepared to sign peace but is not prepared to commit harikari." The Falstaffian figure of Fritz Ebert, president of the new German republic, straightened in the chair and with a sonorous voice he continued: "If the peace terms mean suicide they will not be signed. Rather than political and economical death Germany will choose political and economical madness. If the entente offers us instead of a peace based on Mr. Wilson's fourteen points only a knife with which to commit harikari Germany goes Bolshevik, Germany joins the Russian soviet republic and Germany becomes an outlaw nation."

Historic Sloop Bought

Victoria.—The sloop of war *Algerine* is now the property of the British Columbia Salvage company, and the boat will be rebuilt and equipped as a salvage vessel. The *Algerine* is about twenty years old. She was in China on the Peipo river during the Boxer Rebellion, and aided Great Britain in the suppression of that trouble.

Restrict Liquor in West Africa

London. — The government has prohibited the importation of all spirits into the British West African colonies, except under license, which will not be granted for the importation of so-called "trade spirits." It was announced. This decision was taken as a preliminary measure, pending decision on the question of the permanent prohibition of the spirit trade in West Africa.

German Parties Disagree

Independents Make Demand for Relaxation of Government Rule — Berlin. — That the majority and independent socialist parties are irreconcilably split, is the common expression in political circles resulting from a speech by Wolfgang Heine, in the Prussian diet, made in reply to the demand of the independents for a repeal of martial law in Berlin.

Following closely upon Minister of Defence Noske's castigation of the independents at Weimar, Herr Heine who is Prussian minister of justice, and one of the majority leaders, presented a scathing indictment of the faction of Hugo Haase, the independent leader, in which he reviewed the intimate co-operation existing between the independent and the Spartacists from the first day of the revolution.

Herr Heine told the independents that they were more concerned about Russia than about the welfare of Germany and said that it was not the Russian steam roller that brought about Germany's defeat, but Bolshevik infection and corruption paid with stolen Russian funds.

Herr Heine also held the independents responsible for the Spartan activities of the fugitive police head, Eichhorn, and for the lawlessness of George Ledebour's marines, and charged that they precipitated the recent general strike without the slightest justification.

Officials Incompetent

Soldiers at Rhyll Camp Not Blamed For Revolt

Halifax. — Lieut.-Col. Pratt, O.C. the 133rd battalion and member of the Ontario legislature for Norfolk County, who returned to Canada on the Celtic, in an interview published in the Daily Echo, attributes the unrest of Canadian soldiers in Rhyll camp to the incompetency and unpreparedness of the department or militia, which, judging by results at the time the armistice was signed he said, was absolutely without any plan for the repatriation of Canadian soldiers.

"Argyll House is full of incompetents and dubs," said Lieut.-Col. Pratt. "There are many officers there who have wrangled their way through the war praying to God that the war would last another year so that they would be able to hang on to their jobs."

"I have spoken to 102 officers on board the Celtic and every one of them has told me that they do not blame the soldiers at Rhyll camp for the action they had taken."

Decree Meets Opposition

Paris.—A decree forbidding the exhumation of bodies of soldiers killed in the war has raised strong opposition. A bill has been submitted in parliament which would authorize the exhuming of bodies immediately after the signing of peace, and also grant free transportation to one member of the family of a dead man, in order that this member might be present at the exhumation. The bill also calls upon the government to defray the cost of exhumation and transportation.

More Rum for Britain

Kingston, Jamaica. — The legislative council is considering an income tax bill which would impose a tax on all insurance and shipping companies doing business with Jamaica. As a result of the withdrawal of embargo restrictions, arrangements are being made to ship \$2,000,000 worth of rum to the United Kingdom.

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World Plans to Prevent Future Wars

Offered Baltic Crown

Washington. — Arrival of a British squadron at Libau with a British commission having military and political power to open relations with the Lettish government was announced in official despatches quoting the Lettish press bureau. Prince Adolf Friedrich of Mecklenburg, is reported to have been offered the Baltic royal crown.

Mounted Police at Swift Current

Swift Current, Sask. — Swift Current is to be headquarters for a division of the reorganized Royal North West Mounted Police force. The local detachment will be in charge of Staff-Sergeant Baxter, an officer well and favorably known in this section, where he had served with the Mounties for several years previous to going overseas. Sergt. Baxter is at present in the city, awaiting instructions, having just arrived from France. The strength of the force to be stationed here has not yet been given out.

WORDS OF PRAISE FOR BABY'S OWN TABLETS

No medicine receives such great praise from thankful mothers as do Baby's Own Tablets. Once a mother has used them for her little ones she will use nothing else. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative. They regulate the bowels and stomach; drive out constipation and indigestion; cure colds and simple fevers; promote healthful sleep and make teething easy. Concerning them Mrs. Omer LeBlanc, Maddington Falls, Que., writes:—"I am well satisfied with Baby's Own Tablets and will always use them for my little ones." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Would Like Blockade Raised

Is of No Value to British Government

London. — In the house of commons Sir Frederick Banbury, privy councillor, warned the government that a continuance of the present financial methods meant, eventually, national bankruptcy. Other speakers complained that control of exports permitted the United States to step in and capture British trade abroad.

J. Austen Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, replying to criticisms, said that the government was trying to abolish control as quickly as was safe. The export of cotton goods was free to every part of the world, except the blockade countries, he declared, and in this case restrictions were maintained for reasons of inter-allied policy. The house, he believed, would hardly assume responsibility for acting in opposition to Great Britain's allies.

Mr. Chamberlain said he was advised that it was not a fact that Americans were sending goods where British goods were not admitted. What the United States had done was to book orders and give long credits for goods to be delivered when the blockade was raised. It was open to British manufacturers to do the same.

The sooner the blockade could be raised, he said, the better the government would be pleased, and it would gratify the government if Germany could draw some of her supply through neutral countries.

Depopulated Reims

Paris. — The population of Reims, which was 117,178 before the war, is now 8,453, according to a census just completed by the government. Of this number 3,987 are men, 3,253 women and 1,813 children. Five hundred children attend school in the ruined city.

Allenby in Paris

Paris. — Gen. F. H. Allenby, commander of the British forces in Palestine, has arrived here from Egypt to advise the supreme council on near eastern questions.

New York. — Because "there is some hope of making war impossible through a league of nations, but no hope of doing it in any other way," Major-General Sir Frederick Maurice, former director of military operations of the British general staff, declared that he favored the project. The general, who held his military portfolio from 1915 to the early part of 1918, added his opinion that "a great majority" of the British people were enthusiastic for the league plans.

Arriving in this country for a stay of several months, General Maurice told interviewers "that for the first time in history, the British people had been at war and they don't like it."

Previous conflicts involving the empire, he said, had been fought "with the fleet, gold and a proportionately small army," but this time the whole nation had been engaged. For every American mother who had lost a boy, he added, 15 British and 20 French mothers were in mourning for the same cause, and this had a tremendous influence on popular sentiment, at least in Great Britain, for an instrumentality offering a chance of preventing future wars.

In France, where Sir Frederick recently travelled extensively, he asserted that desire was paramount to make Germany impotent as security for France's future safety. "But he predicted that as soon as the terms of the league were settled French opinion would be more favorable than at present."

The general reported England "almost unanimously opposed to conscription," but said it would be necessary for a few months to replace the regular army disorganized by the war.

Admitting that "you can't stop any nation from arming and fighting," he hoped that reduction of the German army to 100,000 would "get Germany and other nations out of the habit of spending money on armament."

"It Freed Me of Headaches"

This Is What Many Thousands of People Write About Dr. Chase's Nerve Food—Not Mere Relief, But Lasting Cure

Chauvin, Alta., April 1. — When the human system gets run down, the blood thin and the nerves exhausted, one of the most constant and distressing symptoms is headache. There is always a temptation to use strong drugs to ease the pain, but such relief is only temporary, and is obtained at enormous expense to the nervous system, and the headaches return with increased violence.

Real cure is only obtained when the vigor of the nervous system is restored by such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Mr. Rene Page, Chauvin, Alta., writes:—"I have used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, with splendid results. Some little time ago I seemed to lose my appetite, and suffered from frequent headaches. A treatment for the Nerve Food soon put me on my feet again. It helped my appetite, freed me from headaches, and restored my health. I feel like a new man now and think Dr. Chase's Nerve Food the greatest remedy ever known. I also have to thank Dr. Chase's Ointment for a speedy cure of barber's itch. I have used it for pimples and burns, too."

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Mrs. C. H. Christoffel, Greenbrier, Sask., writes:—"It is a pleasure to me to write you in praise of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I suffered for over twenty years from rheumatism, neuralgia, violent headaches and palpitation of the heart. My back ached, I could not sleep, and was always tired and nervous. I had taken a great many medicines of one kind and another, but never got anything to help me until I used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This did me more good than all the medicines I ever took, and I cannot say enough in praise of it."

This letter is endorsed by Mr. J. C. Bleich, Postmaster at Greenbrier, Sask.

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Mrs. L. P. Amacher and family left for their new home at Hespeler, Ont., on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Doran will receive for the first time since her marriage on Friday, March 28th.

Mrs. A. G. Studer and Mrs. E. E. Wilson will have charge of the Red Cross lunch on Friday afternoon.

Sam Gibson and R. E. Pettys have bought the fine Clyde stallion Planet from Fred. Thompson of Vancouver.

Ralph Honey, of Westerdale, returned from Dakota on Thursday last. His father died while Mr. Honey was visiting him.

There will be a dance held at the Burnside schoolhouse on Friday night, April 4th. Everybody welcome. Ladies please bring cakes. 2

The auction sale announced by John Luft to take place on April 4th has been postponed till Thursday, April 8th. Don't forget the date.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peek returned from Vancouver, where they spent the winter, on Thursday last. Joe says he is feeling as fit as a fiddle again.

Dr. Evans has purchased the property owned by Mr. Norman Clarke, north side of the school. He expects to move to his new residence in the near future.

Millinery Opening at Carstairs Friday and Saturday, March 28th and 29th, and at Olds Friday and Saturday, April 4th and 5th. Mrs. W. H. Curry.

R. B. Martin received a wire last week announcing the death in Victoria, B. C., of his brother, James S. This is the first death in the family of twelve children in forty-one years.

The Rugby Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. J.

Hughes at 2 p.m. on Thursday April 3rd. Subject, "The District School Fair"; also a paper on "Social Democracy" will be given by Mrs. Stevens.

Miss Carrie Glass, who was teaching the primary classes in the public school, has resigned on account of ill health. The parents will be glad to hear that Miss Eva Sexsmith has again been engaged by the School Board to take up these classes.

At a recent meeting of the executive of the Alberta Educational Association it was decided to postpone the annual teachers convention until April, 1920. The loss of time on account of the influenza epidemic and the increased railway rates in force were among the reasons which led to this decision.

The following paragraph was taken from the Drumheller Mail and will be of interest our readers. "A motion (by Drumheller Board of Trade) was made and carried to put a plate on the traffic bridge in honor of the late Mr. (Lieut.) Stauffer who lost his life at the front, and who was instrumental in getting the bridge put over the Red Deer."

Private Harold F. Kiteley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kiteley, returned from England a few days ago. Pte. Kiteley was a member of the famous 50th Batt. but was gassed in an engagement a year ago last August and was in hospital until sent home. His lungs are still in a weak condition but it is hoped that the Alberta climate will help him.

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